

Mission to Mars

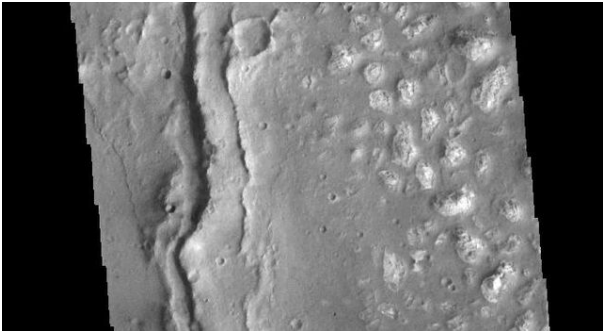
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Global Storms on Mars Launch Dust Towers Into the Sky

A Mars Dust Tower Stands Out Dust storms are common on Mars. But every decade or so, something unpredictable happens: a series of runaway storms break out, covering the entire planet in a dusty haze.

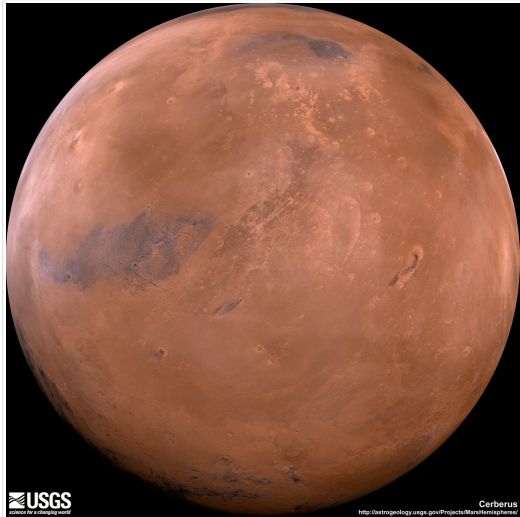
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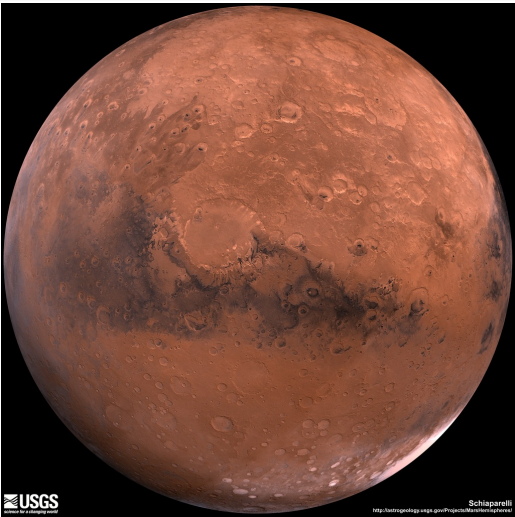
Mars Facts

	Mars	Earth
Description		
Mars - Earth Comparison	Mars	Earth
Diameter:	6,779 km	12,742 km
Mass:	6.39×10^{23} kg	5.97×10^{24} kg
Moons:	2	1
Distance from Sun:	227,943,824 km	149,598,262 km
Length of Year:	687 Earth days	365.24 days
Temperature:	-87 to -5 °C	-88 to 58 °C

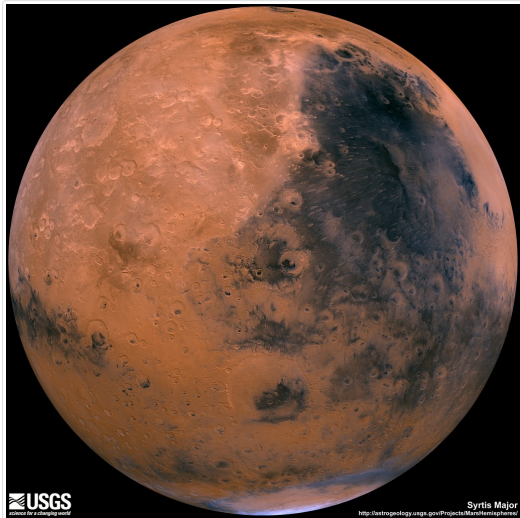
Mars Hemispheres



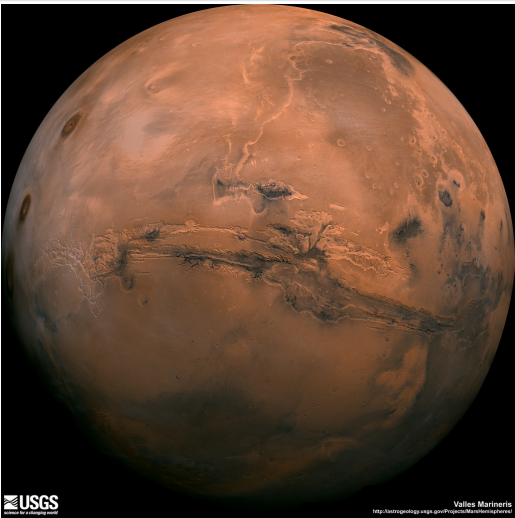
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